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ORDINANCE NO. 11-11a

ORDINANCE TO CORRECT TYPOGRAPHICAL ERRORS IN ORDINANCE 9-11c

WHEREAS, it is in the best interest of the City to approve an annual cost of living increase in these rates to offset the annual increase in the costs of providing water and sewer to the citizens of Brownsville.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT ORDAINED by the City of Brownsville, Kentucky, as follows:

- 1) The price of water is hereby being increased by twenty two percent (22%) twenty six and ½ percent (26 ½ %) to offset the increase in expenses and to ensure sufficient funds to maintain the water facilities. The new rates shall become effective with the December 2011 billing.
- 2) The price of water will be \$13.94 \$11.94 for the first two thousand (2,000) gallons of water used per month and \$4.58 \$3.95 for every one thousand (1,000) gallons of water used per month thereafter.
- 3) The monthly price of sewer will be \$11.94 \$9.94 for the first two-thousand (2,000) gallons of sewage processed and \$4.58 \$3.95 for every one-thousand (1,000) gallons processed per month thereafter.
- 4) City residents sixty five (65) years of age or older will be eligible for a ten percent (10%) <u>senior</u> discount on these rates with proper identification.
- 5) The Mayor is authorized to assess appropriated late charges and to develop a payment due date.
- 6) The Mayor is authorized to assess and increase water and sewer rates if necessary, each year on April $\mathbf{1}^{\text{st}}$, based on the difference in the Consumer Price Index for the month of December immediately preceding such April $\mathbf{1}$ and the corresponding

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Consumer Price Index for the preceding December. The Consumer Price Index used for this purpose shall be the "Consumer Price Index for all Urban Consumers (CPI-U), U.S. City Average, 1982-84=100, not seasonal adjusted, Utilities and Public Transportation published by the United States Department of Labor, Bureau of Labor Statistics."

7) All prior Municipal Orders or Ordinances or parts of any Municipal Order of Ordinance in conflict herewith are hereby repealed.

8)	This Ordinance is adopted pursuant to KRS 83A.060 in that it was
introduced	This Ordinance is adopted pursuant to KRS 83A.060 in that it was on $11/7/11$ and given final reading $12/5/11$ and said
Ordinance:	shall be in full force and effect upon signature, recordation and publication
	pursuant to KRS Chapter 424.

APPROVED:

MAYOR

ATTEST:

CITY CLERK